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WILL BRING PITTSBURG SHOPS HERE

Mcbeth-Evans Company Making Transfers for the Time Being.

FACTORY IN GOOD SHAPE

Fifteen shops will be brought from the Eighth street factory of the Macbeth-Evans Glass plant in Pittsburg to the Charleroi plant today, in order that repairs may be made on the Pittsburg plant, which will be closed temporarily. The bringing of the 15 shops here will mean that nearly half a hundred men and boys will be provided with work.

The shops are all off-hand chimeny shops for the hand-made ware, in which the Macbeth Evans plant excels as well as in machine made glass. It is difficult to say just how long the Pittsburg plant will be closed but it will only be until the necessary repairs can be made. The transfer of the 15 shops was made in order that the employes may continue in the large stress of orders in the meantime. There were 21 shops in all at the Pittsburg plant.

The Charleroi plant of the Macbeth-Evans factory is in first rate condition and running full time at present, under the superintendency of W. S. James. This is the largest and best factory of the combine, and employes a large number of people. There was some talk of bringing the other plants here, but an official said this morning that no such action would be taken.

VAUDEVILLE AS IT SHOULD BE AT THE COYLE THIS WEEK

The vaudeville at the Coyle Theatre for the first half of the week is undoubtedly the most amusing and entertaining ever offered. The Johnsons in minstrelsy are a striking feature, well conceived and presented. The end men are bright, active, and they can sing while the interloctutor has a most pleasing voice and an easy stage presence. The act is a good one.

In the way of physical feats there is perhaps not another act on the stage that has as many thrills for the spectators as Leslie Feathers offers in his wonderful hand balancing.

No better interpretation of what genuine vaudeville should be is offered today than in the clever skit of King and Mason, who in addition to carrying their own scenery, present a clever act which pleases every one.

The Wallace Sisters and Hardner and Hall will complete a bill of genuine merit.

Matinees will be given every day at 2:30. Evenings at 7:30 and 9 p. m. The prices are 10 cents with a few reserved seats at 15 cents.

Bingville Fair.

The Men's Brotherhood of Christ Lutheran church at a meeting decided to hold their Bingville Fair in the Sunday School rooms of the church on Thursday, March 31. The members of the Brotherhood will have the affair in full charge. The fair will represent the town of Bingville in all its phases of daily life, and promises to be very good.

WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family. 330 Washington avenue. 169t2

FISCAL YEAR NOW CLOSES MARCH 1

More Systematic System in Force Now on Borough Financial Affairs.

When Charleroi council meets tonight it will be for the closing up of the yearly financial business. Until this year the fiscal year has closed a month later, but last year, owing to the disarrangement caused by the unsystematic method, council made a change for the better. The auditors will begin work on the borough books the second Monday of this month.

The time for the treasurer to take office was not changed by council last year, however, and although a new man will be elected he will not begin work until the usual time.

Until this year the auditors have been starting work some time in April, or the first of May, the ending of the fiscal year in April preventing them from starting when the council closed business March 1.

MEETING WAS NOT REGULAR

Secretary of California Council Explains Some Matters.

To the Editor of the Mail: It is only fair to those concerned that a correction be made as regards a news item in the Mail of March 5 entitled "California Dads After Burgess," as the article contains several misstatements. The statements that Burgess William M. Burley was called before council, that he has made a report covering only the first month since he has been in office, and that there was some talk of impeachment at council's meeting are incorrect. The fact are these:

The council of the borough of California has not held a monthly session on its regular meeting nights—the second Friday of each month—for several months, adjourned and special meetings being held. In fact there has been no meeting at the stated time since October last, at which the burgess made a report to October 1st, which was accepted. The November and December meeting were adjourned and no meetings were held in either January or February. A special meeting was called for February 21, at which a resuolution was passed requesting a report from the burgess to be made at another special meeting to be held March 4, as it was desired to close up all business by the end of the fiscal year of March 7. The burgess was not notified of any of these adjourned meetings, nor of the special meeting of February 21.

At the meeting of last Friday Burgess Burley appeared and submitted a report from October 1, 1909, to date. This was accepted and 30 days granted him in which to settle any balance due the borough. There was no mention of impeachment at the meeting.

R. Kirk Richardson,
Secretary of Council.

California, Pa., March 7, 1910.

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By V. H. Austin.

The Mail Publishing company in connection with their great prize and popularity contest are going to give subscribers who have failed to pay their subscriptinn to the Mail or Mirror some reason why they should give their subscription to one of the many contestants entered in the competition for one of the big prizes.

During this week, with each $3.00 subscription or over to the Mail or Mirror, (new or old) will be given absolutely free a pair of Patent Spring Tension Shears worth $1 00. The usual number of votes will be allowed candidates in the voting contest for each subscription turned in on this offer. Remember these shears will be given away this week and you should pay your subscription NOW and receive a pair of these shears FREE. See cut of the shears on another page.

To the active candidates in the contest a pair of these shears will be allowed to be used. Candidates should call at the office and get a pair at once.

EXTRA VOTES THIS WEEK.

This week an extra ballot of FIFTEEN THOUSAND VOTES will be allowed with every TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS turned in on subscriptions. Candidates with the aid of the shears and extra votes should make this their banner week.

The candidates outside of Charleroi are walking up to the fact that they have an equal chance with the Charleroi candidates and surprises are looked for from that section. Candidates should see that they get their Green and Purple Special Vote Coupons in before the date expires. They will not count after the date printed on each one. See that you don't lose any votes.

The special offer this week will close Saturday at 8 p. m.

OLD BOREAS PREFORMS ANTICS, AND BREATHES STRONG BUT IN VAIN

Fails to Even Move a Roof in Charlero.—Inconvenience to Sleeping Public.

After tearing around nearly all night trying to damage property and blow houses into some other community, Old Boreas had to give it up as a bad job, although he continued to breathe rather strongly this morning. The wind last night was about the stiffest Charleroi has experienced for some time, but as far as can be learned, there was no damage. It swept the hill section of town with an intensity that made the residents fear for their property. Down town the breeziness caused houses to shake, and rattled windows, and otherwise made things disagreeable for the people who were trying to secure some rest in preapation for the Monday's duties.

PUBLIC MEETING OF CHURCH BROTHERHOOD

Will Hear Lecture on Australia and Its People by Returned Missionary.

At a public meeting of the Brotherhood of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church on Tuesday evening, Rev. John Allison, returned missionary from Australia, will lecture on "Australia, Her People and Her Customs." The lecture will be free to the public, and both men and women are invited. Rev. Allison was in Australia 23 years and is well qualified to speak on matters relating to that country. At the close of the lecture a social hour will be held in the Sunday school rooms.

ILLUSTARATED LECTURE ON "WAYWARD SON"

The illustrated lecture, "The Wayward Son", given at the Methodist church last night by George L. Olney of New York city, was listened to by a full house. The lecture was very impressive and truly depicted the nature of many young men's downfall in the larger cities. Mrs. Olney sang in connection with the lecture. The story was of a young man who went from his rural home to the city to make for himself a fortune, but there got into bad company, and quickly fell into a life of degradation. He was finally brought to his senses, however, and returned to his mother.

The lecture will be given at the First Baptist church Tuesday evening.

SONS OF PROMINENT PITTSBURG MEN TAKE TO RIDING FREIGHTS

Are Caught and Help of Parents Required to Get Them Out of Dilemma.

After having spent three days out "bumming," Archie Kuhn, aged 17 years, son of a composing room foreman on the Pittsburg Post, and Ernest Bingler, 16 years old, son of the head bookkeeper of the Anchor Savings and Trust company, at Pittsburg, were captured "freighting" toward home this morning by P. R. R. Detective Chalfant. They were taken before Justice of the Peace S. W. Wilson here for a hearing and fined $1.00 and costs each. It is understood that the father of one of the boys will come to pay the fines and secure their release.

LOCAL KNIGHTS GO TO CONNELLSVILLE

Attend Meeting of Lodge There to Witness Exemplification of Third Degree.

Yesterday about ten members of the Charleroi lodge, Knights of Columbus, went to Connesville to attend the exemplification of the third degree, as presented by State Deputy Brew of Erie, for the Connellsville lodge. Mr. Brew expects to pay the Charleroi lodge a visit in the near future.

WILL ORGANIZE AT NORTH CHARLEROI

New Council is Scheduled for First Meeting This Evening.

The North Charleroi council will tonight reorganize for the ensuing year and the newly-elected members will take their places. The retiring members are S. A. Walton, who was elected last summer to take the place of President S. L. Woodward resigned, and David Schafer, who was re-elected at the last election. The only new man to get into council was John I. Cope. The usual officials will be elected.

Notice to the Public

According to our court's ruling we have discontinued solicitors. All persons wishing beer, will call at the Charleroi Brewery, or send order and money by mail, and the order will be promptly delivered.

Independent Brewing Co., Pittsburg, Charleroi Brewery. 155tf

PATENT GRANTED TO MONESSEN MAN

Invents Roller Mill Machinery, Which May Bring About Change.

A. J. McGinniss of Monessen, has secured his final patent papers, on an improved rolling mill for seamless tube. He has been working on the invention for about two years, making application for a patent about a year ago.

Mr. McGinnis is a foreman roll turner on No. 1 rod mill at the Pittsburg Steel company, Monessen. It is likely that this company will take up the invention, inasmuch as it said to be of much promise.

Advantages promised by the new process of making seamless tubes are simplicity and a great reduction in cost The patentee has been a resident of Monessen for a number of years. Patent attorneys rate his invention very high, and it is believed that Mr McGinnis will "make good" on it.

6 PER CENT OF DECREASE

Census Statistics Prove that Liquer Trade is Diminishing.

There was in 1907 a decrease of 6 per cent in the number of saloons throughout the country, according to the U. S. Census Bureau for the coming report on the statistics of the 158 largest cities which had a population of over 30,000 each that year.

The report, prepared by chief of division, E. H. Maling, contains complete statistics of the number of liquor licenses in force at the close of the license year in each of the cities and the number of inhabitants to each dealer selling liquor by the drink.

More than one-fourth of such dealers in the 158 largest cities were reported from New York and Chicago; the cities of over 300,000 population with the smallest number of saloons were Washington 521, and Pittsburg 818. In cities of this class, the largest number of saloons in proportion to the population were in Milwaukee and New Orleans where, in the former, there was one dealer selling liquor by the drink to every 142 inhabitants, and, in the latter, to every 200 inhabitants, The number of inhabitants to every dealer in Philadelphia was 761 and in Boston 738. The other cities having less than 200 inhabitants to each dealer were Galveston, 134; East St. Louis, 143; Mobile 153, Houston, 158; Hoboken, 168; Sacramento, Cal., 188; San Antonio, 179; La Cosse, Wis, 183; Springfield, Ill., 188, and West Hoboken, 191.

The smallest number of saloons in proportion to population is shown for the cities of Pennsylvania and Massachusetts, and the largest for those of Texas, Ohio and Wisconsin.

In comparing the number of retail liquor dealers in 141 cities reporting for both 1907 and 1905, it is shown that there was a decrease of 6 per cent in the number of saloons in 1907. The decrease was general in nearly every part of the country, except the Rocky mountain and southwestern states.

WANTED—Position, days' work and washing to do. Inquire 168 Mail office. 1692tp

UNCLE SAM PUBLISHES GOOD BOOKS

Is in the Bookselling Business too—Catalog of Pulications.

SOLD AT NOMINAL PRICE

Not many people are aware that in addition to the publication of bulky volumns of statistics, which Ex-Congressman Acheson used to square himself with his constituents over at East Pike Run and other rural townships, Uncle Sam is in the bookselling business. While the statistical volumns came in handy to improvise a high chair for the second youngest, or served to prop up the ironing board, they were rarely read or valued as a literary production. Now things are different. The Government has prepared a number of interesting and beneficial publications, which are not only widely distributed for the information they contain, but they are sold by thousands.

This change is due to the remarkable develvopment of the scientific work of the government. Almost every branch of the physical sciences is now the subject of original research by Government experts for the benefit of the people. The Government has thousands of scientists in its employ who are working for the benefit of the public. Their work covers a wide range of subjects useful to a high degree.

While many of the public documents are distributed free, the demand for these special subjects has become so great that Uncle Sam has prepared a book list which may be seen at the postoffice, by consulting Postmaster J. E. McCardle, or Assistant Postmaster Dennis Oates. The prices are only nominal, ranging from 5 to 35c cents for paper cover books, and leaflets, while those that are cloth bound cost more. The general topics treated are agriculture, army and navy, chemistry, dairying, engineering, food and diet, forestry, geography, good roads, history, insects, irrigation, laws, livestock, medicine, minerals, soils, statistics, water supply and a score of others.

Under these topics you can get special information on almost any subject. For instance, special experts can tell you how to raise beans, make cider, raise mushrooms and other practical information. If you are interested in dairying you can get some good scientific literature about butte and cheese making. You can also learn how to detect food adulterations; how to make bread and toast; to can and preserve furits, and the food value of different articles. There are a lot of special subjects treated under the topics of forestry and road making, irrigation, law and insects. Under the latter title you can get a lot inside history of the honey bee, the apple worm, the pesky mosoquito, and how to exterminate the potato bug, the gypsy moth, and a lot of others.

Uncle Sam also prints and sells the Jefferson Bible, a work by the great apostle of Democracy, Thomas Jefferson. This is the life and morals of Jesus of Nazareth, extracted textually from the gospels in Greek, Latin, French and English. You can brush up on earthquakes, silver fox farming, ducks, and all sorts of wild animals.

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Somewhat Mixed.

In reproducing an article published in the Mail last week concerning the probable action of Judge J F. Taylor at the expiration of his term, the Washington Observer today says, by way of preface:

"The Charleroi Mail, whose editor, E. C. Niver, bitterly opposed the re-election of Judge McIlvaine and Judge Taylor, now poses as the mouth-piece of the latter."

This statement is not only incorrect but misleading. From it the readers of the item would infer that the Mail at one time opposed the election of Judges Taylor and McIlvaine. Such was not the case. In both campaigns, when the respective judges were candidates to succeed themselves, the Mail was an ardent supporter, not only of the judicials candidates, but of the entire Republican ticket. E. C. Niver, the present editor of the Mail, was at that time connected with the Charleroi Mirror, the first paper in the county to expose and oppose "Achesonism." While the Mirror supported the fusion tickets on both occasions, it did not "bitterly oppose" either Judge Taylor or Judge McIlvaine at any time during the campaigns. The files of the Mirror will bear out this statement.

Checking Production.

When the various investigations as to the causes of the present era high prices are completed, it will be found that one predominating cause will stand out in bold relief. This is the checking of production through the agency of the various organizations and combinations that have attained a degree of efficiency throughout the entire country sufficient to control the markets. So long as production is restricted and hampered, high prices will continue. This is one of the elements of the unalterable law of supply and demand.

In the natural order of things the free and untrammelled production of commodities kept prices down to the lowest level. This was particularly true in the farming industry where free land afforded an outlet for unemployed labor. Now, with all the available land taken, and the combinations and agreements of manufacturers and commission men, only enough manufactured goods are put on the market to keep prices up to the highest point, and farm and food products are kept in cold storage and hoarded until a scarcity is created, when they are sold at the highest possible prices. Everything that adds to the cost of production enhances the selling price of that product, and the enhanced cost must also necessarily limit the production, thereby imposing a check. Markets are no longer flooded, and so long as this feature can be controlled and restricted there will be no let up in high prices.

Value of By-Products.

The statement that the United States Steel corporation will make ten million barrels of cement this year, on which there is a profit of seventy-five cents a barrel, out of the slag it produces, which used to be a waste material, shows the value of the utilization of by-products. In years past in the Pittsburg district getting rid of the slag used to tax the energies of the iron and steel manufacuterers. Now, in this one item from what used to be waste the Steel corporation will realize the sum of seven and one-half million dollars. The Steel corporation is said to produce enough slag to make sixty million barrels of cement annually.

It may not be generally known that many valuable by-products can be produced from coal, both in connection with mining and after the coal is mined. If these by-products would be utilized on the field an enormous industry could be built up in connection with coal mining. In the coal regions alone enough gas is wasted to furnish all the power required to operate every wheel of industry in the Pittsburg district. When these thing are realized it will be seen that manufacturing and coal mining are crude and wasteful in the extreme, and are but in the first stages of development.

The Third Degree.

If reports are true the Pttsburg police employ some extraordinary methods to compel suspected criminals under arrest to confess. These suspects are subjected to the so-called third degree, which assumes them to be guilty, and they are given no rest night or day until, in desperation, many confess to escape the torture. Even violence is said to be employed, and it is said that prisoners have been beaten and knocked down simply because they would not admit their guilt.

A case of this kind is now under investigation by the police department of Pittsburg. So sure were the police that they had a notorious criminal in the arrest of a suspect, that they are said to have nearly driven him insane in their effort to make him confess. While the sleuths were subjecting their suspect to the horrors of the third degree, another was arrested who confessed off-hand to committing the crimes for which the first suspect was arrested. Now the police deny they "conferred" the third degree in the "amplified" form, and an investigation has been ordered. The incident goes to show that the police departments of big cities have too much arbitrary powers which they can exercise as they see fit without any knowledge of it becoming public.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Thank you, we do not care to take any trip to Philadelphia at the present time.

Who said Joe Cannon was not going to be elected? He thinks he is, and reckon he ought to know.

There is more danger the most quiet running away than there is of the fastest train on the B. and O. performing a cut-up feat of the kind.

A Danville, Ill., councilman got elected through the expenditure of ten cents. He will either be viewed with suspicion or esteemed an honest man.

The man who does not know, and knows he does not know, is the husband of the woman who thinks she knows and is positive that she is right.

Now there cannot be any difficulty in knowing what whisky is. A Kentucky professor has issued a 200-word definition of the fluid, and if he doesn't know, no one does.

With warm weather comes the unmistakable appearances of the hookworm. It maketh it's appearance here because John Rockefeller's money hath not yet accomplished its intent.

The man who possesses a tooth drawn from the mouth of George Washington [illegible] to feel sort of patriotic, but he doesn't have to try to blow somebody's head off on the Fourth of July.

There are being many brilliant editorials and various other articles written on the cost of living at the present time, but no one seems to care much about tackling the problem of the cost of dying. That's what costs most in Charleroi.

We no more than give Brer Groundhog a solar plexis blow, in his ability to predict the weather, than we run into another of those proverbs, "If March comes in like a lamb it goes out like a lion." Consequently there are being all manner of bad things prophesied by fellows who want to be pessimists, for the last of this month.

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CHURCH LEAGUES JOLTS

An early start.

The season may open May 2.

All eight clubs claim a winner.

Two teams have already ordered uniforms.

S. D. Matthews has promulgated the schedule.

Dale Jolliffe has sent his "Charley-horse" to Hot Springs.

Joe Mason has his "black bat" stored away in an air tight compartment.

Charles Newcomer has applied for a patent on a new variety of spikes.

"Tommy" Barger has placed his coaching voice in rigid training.

Lou Mitchell will positively not wear any cap during the coming season.

Ray Kent already reports himself in 78 per cent condition.

Carl Wertz has a new can of "pepper."

Pierce Ferguson is already using Omega Oil on his wing.

Sam Todd will do the majority of the smooth headwork for the Episcopals this season.

"Speedy" McKean is getting so fast that the bases will be banked for him this coming season.

Merlin McCloskey promises to maintain his laurels as premier slugger of the church league.

"Perc" Pollock is practicing control by throwing at a target.

Manager Rickey has ordered his players into strict training.

"Eddie" Abell may change the Methodists' nick-name from "Black Bats" to "Black Minorcas."

J. K. Johnston's batting eye is still in shape.

Will he or will he not play in the church league this season?

The report is that Ex-Manager Reese has placed an order with Spalding for sliding pads and nose guard.

Through the influence of a number of Charleroi's most prominent baseball fans J. Bechtel has been lined up with the church forces. It is believed this old leaguer has resurrected his ancient baseball eye.

Ex-President Clerihue has his baseball eye on the umpires for insurance.

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FASHIONABLE ROMPING.

English Lament on the Decay of Deportment.

It is all very well to hold up the hands in horror at the romping in fashionable ballrooms—and no doubt the lack of grace therein displayed is deplorable, as the Lady's Pictorial—but one must give people what they want. They will not come and tread stately measures but they will romp, and one must maintain, therefore, that those hostesses are wise who try to make their guests enjoy themselves.

After all, we do not invite our friends to our houses in order to teach them deportment. It seems practically useless to give a dance at all this season unless a cotillon with absolutely novel figures is included in the program.

Now, the cotillon is not a dance strictly speaking. You can chase, run, skip, here through it if you like. It does not make for elegance. Yet there is no question about it, it is indispensable this season and to this favor we must go if when we pipe in our guests expect them to dance at all.

A VERY BUSY MAN.

Charming Experience With an Overworked Irish Watchmaker.

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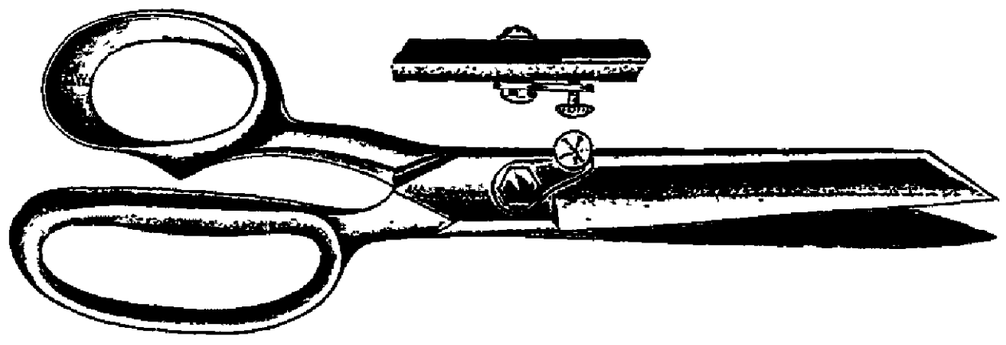

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THE BOTTLE CONJURER.

An Old Time Hoax That Caused a Riot In a London Theater.

In 1748 there appeared in the newspapers of London an advertisement stating that on a certain night a remarkable conjurer would perform in the Haymarket theater. He would, the advertisement ran, bore a common walking cane from any member of the audience and "thereon play the music of every instrument now in use." It was also promised that he would take an ordinary wine bottle, place it on a table in the middle of the stage, get into it "in the sight of all the spectators" and sing while in it. In the same issue of the newspaper was a second advertisement announcing the arrival of Signor Capitello Jumpedo, "a surprising dwarf no taller than a tobacco pipe," who engaged to perform with and outdo the "bottle conjurer," contorting himself in all manner of shapes and finally "opening his mouth wide and jumping down his own throat." This feat, not without reason, Signor Jumpedo described as the "most wonderfulest wonder of all wonders as ever the world wondered at."

The night set for this dual display of "wonderfulest wonders" found the theater packed from roof to pit. But as the time passed and the curtain remained down catcalls and hisses began to be heard. Then a man in the pit stood up and in a calm voice announced that if double prices were paid the conjurer would get into a pint instead of a quart bottle. At once the audience realized that they were being hoaxed. Somebody threw a lighted candle into a box and this was the signal for a riot. Benches were torn up and boxes pulled down, while the timid rushed for the doors, with great loss of wigs, hats, swords and canes. Those who remained reenforced by roughs from outside, completely destroyed the interior of the theater and finished up by dragging the scenery into the street, where it was burned in a huge bonfire. Not was the author of this imposture ever discovered, although it was commonly attributed either to an actor who had been discharged or to a mischievous nobleman bent on winning a wager.—New York Tribune.

Preparing For a Siege.

Wife—The last time I asked you to give me some money you said you couldn't because the cashier was sick. Now you say it's the treasurer. Husband—I know it. He caught it from the cashier, and now I'm afraid the secretary will get it.—Life.

Certain About It.

Once upon a time, not so long ago, a couple of cowpunchers found themselves guests in the home of a minister of the gospel whose custom was to hold family worship of a morning and to conclude the same by asking each one present to give some quotation from the Scriptures. One after another repeated some text until at last it came the turn of Jim Bulstoke of the Crowfoot ranch.

"My dear young friend," said the dominie as he saw the latter hesitating, "surely can recall some verse from the Bible?"

Jim's face was bathed with profuse perspiration, but at last there came to him some approximation of a memory of something he had read or heard at some stage of his life about the first chapter of Genesis. At last he broke out, "God made the world."

The dominie lifted a hand to hide a sudden smile, but bowed to Jim's neighbor in the circle. Curley was even worse off than Jim had been and for the life of him could not think of anything. At last, remembering the occasional virtue of a good bluff, he twisted one foot around his chair leg and, with all the confidence he could muster, remarked, "He shore did."—Recreation.

Last English King In a Battle.

The battle of Dettingen, in Bavaria, on the 16th (27th O. S.) of June, 1743 between the British, Hanoverian and Hessian troops (52,000 men), under command of George II., and the French troops (60,000 men), under Marshal Noailles, which resulted in the victory of the allied troops, was the last occasion on which an English king fought on the battlefield. His majesty continued the whole time in the heat of all the action which was said by those who witnessed it to have been as fierce a conflict as had ever been known.

On the morning of the battle the king appeared in the same red coat he had worn at Oudenarde, thirty-five years before, taking his place at the head of the seven battalions of guards. About noon he ordered a general advance, and during the movements it entailed he was very nearly taken by the enemy, but was rescued by the Twenty-second regiment, who, in remembrance, wore a sprig of oak in their caps upon the anniversary of the battle for many years afterward.—London Tit-Bits.

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Card of Thanks.

We desire to express to our many friends and neighbors our deep gratitude for the many expressions and tokens of their sympathy with us in our recent bereavement in the loss of our wife and mother. Especially do we wish to thank those who gave the beautiful floral tributes and those who sang. There were many expressions of Christian love and friendship for which we desire to express our heart-felt thanks.

169t1p William Dagnall and Family.

Health Board Quits.

Because they were not given the support of either the people or physicians of the town, the members of the Belle Vernon health board have resigned. The borough has now no local board of health.

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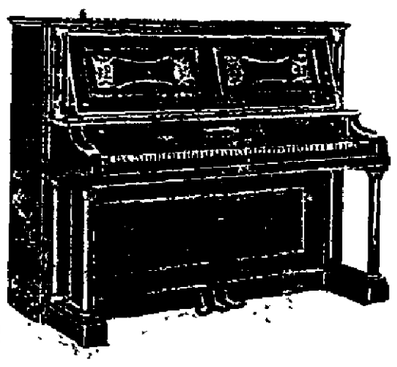

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DISTRICT NO. ONE.

District number one includes all the borough of Charleroi lying South of Fifth street.

Name	Address	Votes
Wm. Moss	424 Washington Ave.	1940
Hamilton Booth	320 Fallowfield "	1566
Miss Goldie Evans	McKean "	42,645
" Florence Conaway	315 " "	2354
" Agnes Rosbottom	208 Crest "	7422
Miss Carrie Carver	219 Fallowfield Ave.	1747
Chas Schmieler	333 " "	2374
W. I. Higgins	109 "	1000

DISTRICT NO. TWO.

District number two includes all the borough of Charleroi lying between Fifth St. and Eighth St.

Harry E. Vetter	716 Washington "	87,007
Capt. Dale Jolliffe	608 Fallowfield "	77,346
C J. Matthews	600 " "	1000
Miss Elizabeth Pardiny	604 " "	2812
Miss Margaret Brightwell	" "	1020
Miss Alice Rock	728 Washington "	4255

DISTRICT NO. THREE.

District number three, includes all the Borough of Charleroi lying between Eighth St. and the borough line.

Miss Alma Snyder	218 Ninth St.	3693
Albert Brown, Jr.	934 " "	1165
Elsie Fiedler	833 Crest Ave	6399

DISTRICT NO. FOUR.

District number four, includes North Charleroi, Monessen and Belle Vernon.

Miss Mercedes McGinity	Monessen	1115
" Ruth Markell	"	1210
" Pearl Speers	"	1672
" Grace Reeder	"	1010
" Mary Jackson	North Charleroi	1155
Mrs. Meiser	Monessen	1190
Alfred Higginbotham	North Charleroi	1243
Robert McGowan	" "	1000
John Metz	" "	1000
R. G. Staley	" "	1080
John Stober	" "	1030
E. A. Jordan	Belle Vernon	1345

DISTRICT. NO. FIVE.

District number five includes, Speers, Dunlevy, Vesta, Allenport. Fayette City, Stockdale, Roscoe, Elco, Coal Center and California.

" Elsie Pyle	Coal Center	11,502
" Elsie Richards	" "	1035
J. Klein	Roscoe	1340
Charles Fox	R.D.4, Coal Center	1075
Ray Williams	Coal Center	1000
Dr. Frantz	" "	1210
Miss Clara Snead	Speers	1000
Pearl Smith	"	1000
Leola Frye	R. F. D. 1, Speers	1000
S. V. Hughes	" "	1000
William E. Hart	California	1220
Ben Usher	Fayette City	1000
Ray Hetherington	" "	1000
McKee Middleton	" "	1000
Miss Jennie Hicks	" "	1135
" M. McCleary	Allenport	1000
" Laura Ghrist	"	1190
" Annie Miller	"	1000
" Hattie Long	"	1000
George Collins	Elco	56,470
M. Sooley	Dunlevy	1460
C. K. Chalfant	Speers	1200
William Kuhn	"	1100
Boyd Montgomery	"	1170
Miss Easter	California	1630
James Hall	Dunlevy	27,322

DISTRICT NO. SIX.

Includes Donora, Monongahela and Bentleyville.

Miss Erma Volker	Monongahela	1125
" Maud Stratham	"	1105
" Bessie Webb	"	1105
" Agnes Klonan	"	1960
" Ela Baker	Bentleyville	1246

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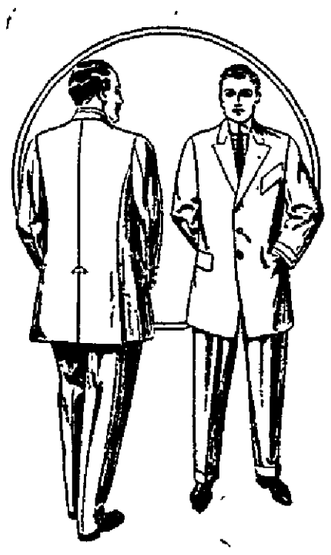

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LOCAL NOTES

Brief Mention of People and Events in this Community.

Misses Helen and Edith Woodhall were over Sunday guests of Mrs Lee Minton, of the Seventh Avenue Hotel, Beaver Falls.

Miss Rose Kuth, Lela Davidson and Nell Davidson of Uniontown were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McCann of McKean avenue.

Misses Bessie Stroud and Tena Estenfelder have resigned their positions at the store of J. W. Berryman and Son. Miss Stroud will take a place at the office of Dr. J. Clive Enos, and Miss Estenfelder will begin learning the millinery trade.

James Oates left today for Cincinnati, Ohio, where he will attend the miners' convention in session this week.

Miss Ethel Smith of Waynesburg, a student of California Normal, was here over Sunday, a guest of Mrs. B. D. Blaker of Second street.

Wilson Primas, who attends the University of Pittsburg, while visiting his parents over Sunday killed a snake which had mistaken the season of the year.

The river after a period of high water, during which time it reached a stage of 15 feet one inch, on the lower sills at Lock No. 4, is now receding and shortly before noon today was down at 10 feet. This makes a good boating stage.

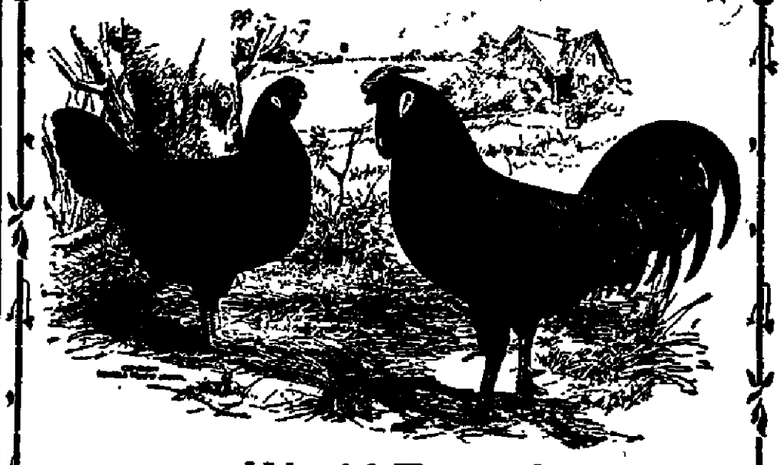
WANTED—Couple of lady agents, can stay in town, good money. Answer 307 Mail. 169t2

Strictly Fresh Country Eggs only 26c. per dozen. Creamery Butter only 30c. per pound. Johnston's Cash Meat Market. 169t2

Lemon Omelet.

Put the yolks of four eggs into a bowl with a tablespoonful of sugar. Beat until light and add the grated rind of a lemon. Whip the whites of the eggs to a stiff froth and mix lightly with the yolks. Then stir in a fourth of a teaspoonful of baking powder. Pour in the omelet pan, in which a tablespoonful of butter has been melted, and bake in a moderate oven for ten minutes. When done cut the omelet in half, put on a hot platter, with the following lemon jelly between the layers, and serve as quickly as possible:

Lemon Jelly.—Take one-half cupful of sugar, a tablespoonful of butter, the juice and rind of one lemon and two well beaten eggs. Beat together and stir over the fire until thick.—Delineator.



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"I worship you madly."
"Loose talk."
"I cannot live without your love."
"Get some new stuff."
"Will you marry me?"
"Well, now, there's some class to that."—Indianapolis News

Just a Hint.

Mr Staylate—Is that clock right? Miss De Pink (wearily)—I think it must need cleaning. It's been two or three hours going that last hour.—New York Journal.

Reach's Guide.

The Mail is in receipt of a copy of Reach's Baseball Guide for the year 1910 The guide is rich in special features, and contains a lot of valuable baseball information, beside the rules. Among the features are special write-ups on the World's series of games last fall, and statistics of record-breaking games of the year 1909. The rules this year have some important changes to aid in the playing and scoring of the game. One change is the counting of an error for the pitcher when he makes a wild pitch.

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WILL BRING PITTSBURG SHOPS HERE

Mcbeth-Evans Company Making Transfers for the Time Being.

FACTORY IN GOOD SHAPE

Fifteen shops will be brought from the Eighth street factory of the Macbeth-Evans Glass plant in Pittsburg to the Charleroi plant today, in order that repairs may be made on the Pittsburg plant, which will be closed temporarily. The bringing of the 15 shops here will mean that nearly half a hundred men and boys will be provided with work.

The shops are all off-hand chimeny shops for the hand-made ware, in which the Macbeth Evans plant excels as well as in machine made glass. It is difficult to say just how long the Pittsburg plant will be closed but it will only be until the necessary repairs can be made. The transfer of the 15 shops was made in order that the employes may continue in the large stress of orders in the meantime. There were 21 shops in all at the Pittsburg plant.

The Charleroi plant of the Macbeth-Evans factory is in first rate condition and running full time at present, under the superintendency of W. S. James. This is the largest and best factory of the combine, and employes a large number of people. There was same talk of bringing the other plants here, but an official said this morning that no such action would be taken.

VAUDEVILLE AS IT SHOULD BE AT THE COYLE THIS WEEK

The vaudeville at the Coyle Theatre for the first half of the week is undoubtedly the most amusing and entertaining ever offered. The Johnsons in minstrelsy are a striking feature, well conceived and presented. The end men are bright, active, and they can sing while the interloctutor has a most pleasing voice and an easy stage presence. The act is a good one.

In the way of physical feats there is perhaps not another act on the stage that has as many thrills for the spectators as Leslie Feathers offers in his wonderful hand balancing.

No better interpretation of what genuine vaudeville should be is offered today than in the clever skit of King and Mason, who in addition to carrying their own scenery, present a clever act which pleases every one.

The Wallace Sisters and Hardner and Hall will complete a bill of genuine merit.

Matinees will be given every day at 2:30. Evenings at 7:30 and 9 p. m. The prices are 10 cents with a few reserved seats at 15 cents.

Bingville Fair.

The Men's Brotherhood of Christ Lutheran church at a meeting decided to hold their Bingville Fair in the Sunday School rooms of the church on Thursday, March 31. The members of the Brotherhood will have the affair in full charge. The fair will represent the town of Bingville in all its phases of daily life, and promises to be very good.

WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family. 330 Washington avenue. 169t2

FISCAL YEAR NOW CLOSES MARCH 1

More Systematic System in Force Now on Borough Financial Affairs.

When Charleroi council meets tonight it will be for the closing up of the yearly financial business. Until this year the fiscal year has closed a month later, but last year, owing to the disarrangement caused by the unsystematic method, council made a change for the better. The auditors will begin work on the borough books the second Monday of this month.

The time for the treasurer to take office was not changed by council last year, however, and although a new man will be elected he will not begin work until the usual time.

Until this year the auditors have been starting work some time in April, or the first of May, the ending of the fiscal year in April preventing them from starting when the council closed business March 1.

MEETING WAS NOT REGULAR

Secretary of California Council Explains Some Matters.

To the Editor of the Mail: It is only fair to those concerned that a correction be made as regards a news item in the Mail of March 5 entitled "California Dads After Burgess," as the article contains several misstatements. The statements that Burgess William M. Burley was called before council, that he has made a report covering only the first month since he has been in office, and that there was some talk of impeachment at council's meeting are incorrect. The fact are these:

The council of the borough of California has not held a monthly session on its regular meeting nights—the second Friday of each month—for several months, adjourned and special meetings being held. In fact there has been no meeting at the stated time since October last, at which the burgess made a report to October 1st, which was accepted. The November and December meeting were adjourned and no meetings were held in either January or February. A special meeting was called for February 21, at which a resuolution was passed requesting a report from the burgess to be made at another special meeting to be held March 4, as it was desired to close up all business by the end of the fiscal year of March 7. The burgess was not notified of any of these adjourned meetings, nor of the special meeting of February 21.

At the meeting of last Friday Burgess Burley appeared and submitted a report from October 1, 1909, to date. This was accepted and 30 days granted him in which to settle any balance due the borough. There was no mention of impeachment at the meeting.

R. Kirk Richardson,
Secretary of Council.

California, Pa., March 7, 1910.

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To the active candidates in the contest a pair of these shears will be allowed to be used. Candidates should call at the office and get a pair at once.

EXTRA VOTES THIS WEEK.

This week an extra ballot of FIFTEEN THOUSAND VOTES will be allowed with every TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS turned in on subscriptions. Candidates with the aid of the shears and extra votes should make this their banner week.

The candidates outside of Charleroi are walking up to the fact that they have an equal chance with the Charleroi candidates and surprises are looked for from that section. Candidates should see that they get their Green and Purple Special Vote Coupons in before the date expires. They will not count after the date printed on each one. See that you don't lose any votes.

The special offer this week will close Saturday at 8 p. m.

OLD BOREAS PREFORMS ANTICS, AND BREATHES STRONG BUT IN VAIN

Fails to Even Move a Roof in Charleroi—Inconvenience to Sleeping Public.

After tearing around nearly all night trying to damage property and blow houses into some other community, Old Boreas had to give it up as a bad job, although he continued to breathe rather strongly this morning. The wind last night was about the stiffest Charleroi has experienced for some time, but as far as can be learned, there was no damage. It swept the hill section of town with an intensity that made the residents fear for their property. Down town the breeziness caused houses to shake, and rattled windows, and otherwise made things disagreeable for the people who were trying to secure some rest in preapation for the Monday's duties.

PUBLIC MEETING OF CHURCH BROTHERHOOD

Will Hear Lecture on Australia and Its People by Returned Missionary.

At a public meeting of the Brotherhood of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church on Tuesday evening, Rev. John Allison, returned missionary from Australia, will lecture on "Australia, Her People and Her Customs." The lecture will be free to the public, and both men and women are invited. Rev. Allison was in Australia 28 years and is well qualified to speak on matters relating to that country. At the close of the lecture a social hour will be held in the Sunday school rooms.

ILLUSTARATED LECTURE ON "WAYWARD SON"

The illustrated lecture, "The Wayward Son", given at the Methodist church last night by George L. Olney of New York city, was listened to by a full house. The lecture was very impressive and truly depicted the nature of many young men's downfall in the larger cities. Mrs. Olney sang in connection with the lecture. The story was of a young man who went from his rural home to the city to make for himself a fortune, but there got into bad company, and quickly fell into a life of degradation. He was finally brought to his senses, however, and returned to his mother.

The lecture will be given at the First Baptist church Tuesday evening.

SONS OF PROMINENT PITTSBURG MEN TAKE TO RIDING FREIGHTS

Are Caught and Help of Parents Required to Get Them Out of Dilemma.

After having spent three days out "bumming," Archie Kuhn, aged 17 years, son of a composing room foreman on the Pittsburg Post, and Ernest Bingler, 16 years old, son of the head bookkeeper of the Anchor Savings and Trust company, at Pittsburg, were captured "freighting" toward home this morning by P. R. R. Detective Chalfant. They were taken before Justice of the Peace S. W. Wilson here for a hearing and fined $1.00 and costs each. It is understood that the father of one of the boys will come to pay the fines and secure their release.

LOCAL KNIGHTS GO TO CONNELLSVILLE

Attend Meeting of Lodge There to Witness Exemplification of Third Degree.

Yesterday about ten members of the Charleroi lodge, Knights of Columbus, went to Connesville to attend the exemplification of the third degree, as presented by State Deputy Brew of Erie, for the Connellsville lodge. Mr. Brew expects to pay the Charleroi lodge a visit in the near future.

WILL ORGANIZE AT NORTH CHARLEROI

New Council is Scheduled for First Meeting This Evening.

The North Charleroi council will tonight reorganize for the ensuing year and the newly-elected members will take their places. The retiring members are S. A. Walton, who was elected last summer to take the place of President S. L. Woodward resigned, and David Schafer, who was re-elected at the last election. The only new man to get into council was John I. Cope. The usual officials will be elected.

Notice to the Public

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PATENT GRANTED TO MONESSEN MAN

Invents Roller Mill Machinery, Which May Bring About Change.

A. J. McGinniss of Monessen, has secured his final patent papers, on an improved rolling mill for seamless tube. He has been working on the invention for about two years, making application for a patent about a year ago.

Mr. McGinnis is a foreman roll turner on No. 1 rod mill at the Pittsburg Steel company, Monessen. It is likely that this company will take up the invention, inasmuch as it said to be of much promise.

Advantages promised by the new process of making seamless tubes are simplicity and a great reduction in cost The patentee has been a resident of Monessen for a number of years. Patent attorneys rate his invention very high, and it is believed that Mr McGinnis will "make good" on it.

6 PER CENT OF DECREASE

Census Statistics Prove that Liquer Trade is Diminishing.

There was in 1907 a decrease of 6 per cent in the number of saloons throughout the country, according to the U. S. Census Bureau for the coming report on the statistics of the 158 largest cities which had a population of over 30,000 each that year.

The report, prepared by chief of division, E. H. Maling, contains complete statistics of the number of liquor licenses in force at the close of the license year in each of the cities and the number of inhabitants to each dealer selling liquor by the drink.

More than one-fourth of such dealers in the 158 largest cities were reported from New York and Chicago; the cities of over 300,000 population with the smallest number of saloons were Washington 521, and Pittsburg 818. In cities of this class, the largest number of saloons in proportion to the population were in Milwaukee and New Orleans where, in the former, there was one dealer selling liquor by the drink to every 142 inhabitants, and, in the latter, to every 209 inhabitants, The number of inhabitants to every dealer in Philadelphia was 761 and in Boston 738. The other cities having less than 200 inhabitants to each dealer were Galveston, 134; East St. Louis, 143; Mobile 153, Houston, 158; Hoboken, 168; Sacramento, Cal., 188; San Antonio, 179; La Cosse, Wis, 188; Springfield, Ill., 188, and West Hoboken, 191.

The smallest number of saloons in proportion to population is shown for the cities of Pennsylvania and Massachusetts, and the largest for those of Texas, Ohio and Wisconsin.

In comparing the number of retail liquor dealers in 141 cities reporting for both 1907 and 1905, it is shown that there was a decrease of 6 per cent in the number of saloons in 1907. The decrease was general in nearly every part of the country, except the Rocky mountain and southwestern states.

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Not many people are aware that in addition to the publication of bulky volumns of statistics, which Ex-Congressman Acheson used to square himself with his constituents over at East Pike Run and other rural townships, Uncle Sam is in the bookselling business. While the statistical volumns came in handy to improvise a high chair for the second youngest, or served to prop up the ironing board, they were rarely read or valued as a literary production. Now things are different. The Government has prepared a number of interesting and beneficial publications, which are not only widely distributed for the information they contain, but they are sold by thousands.

This change is due to the remarkable develvopment of the scientific work of the government. Almost every branch of the physical sciences is now the subject of original research by Government experts for the benefit of the people. The Government has thousands of scientists in its employ who are working for the benefit of the public. Their work covers a wide range of subjects useful to a high degree.

While many of the public documents are distributed free, the demand for these special subjects has become so great that Uncle Sam has prepared a book list which may be seen at the postoffice, by consulting Postmaster J. E. McCardle, or Assistant Postmaster Dennis Oates. The prices are only nominal, ranging from 5 to 35c cents for paper cover books, and leaflets, while those that are cloth bound cost more. The general topics treated are agriculture, army and navy, chemistry, dairying, engineering, food and diet, forestry, geography, good roads, history, insects, irrigation, laws, livestock, medicine, minerals, soils, statistics, water supply and a score of others.

Under these topics you can get special information on almost any subject. For instance, special experts can tell you how to raise beans, make cider, raise mushrooms and other practical information. If you are interested in dairying you can get some good scientific literature about butte and cheese making. You can also learn how to detect food adulterations; how to make bread and toast; to can and preserve furits, and the food value of different articles. There are a lot of special subjects treated under the topics of forestry and road making, irrigation, law and insects. Under the latter title you can get a lot inside history of the honey bee, the apple worm, the pesky mosoquito, and how to exterminate the potato bug, the gypsy moth, and a lot of others.

Uncle Sam also prints and sells the Jefferson Bible, a work by the great apostle of Democracy, Thomas Jefferson. This is the life and morals of Jesus of Nazareth, extracted textually from the gospels in Greek, Latin, French and English. You can brush up on earthquakes, silver fox farming, ducks, and all sorts of wild animals.

This list is of practical value to every person, and it will repay a call on Postmaster McCardle, who will submit it for examination.

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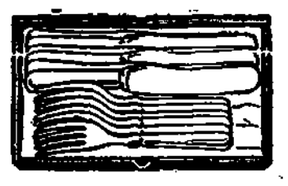
$2.50  **a Doz.**

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Somewhat Mixed.

In reproducing an article published in the Mail last week concerning the probable action of Judge J. F. Taylor at the expiration of his term, the Washington Observer today says, by way of preface:

"The Charleroi Mail, whose editor, E. C. Niver, bitterly opposed the re-election of Judge McIlvaine and Judge Taylor, now poses as the mouth-piece of the latter."

This statement is not only incorrect but misleading. From it the readers of the item would infer that the Mail at one time opposed the election of Judges Taylor and McIlvaine. Such was not the case. In both campaigns, when the respective judges were candidates to succeed themselves, the Mail was an *ardent supporter, not only of* the judicials candidates, but of the entire Republican ticket. E. C. Niver, the present editor of the Mail, was at that time connected with the Charleroi Mirror, the first paper in the county to expose and oppose "Achesonism." While the Mirror supported the fusion tickets on both occasions, it did not "bitterly oppose" either Judge Taylor or Judge McIlvaine at any time during the campaigns. The files of the Mirror will bear out this statement.

Checking Production.

When the various investigations as to the causes of the present era high prices are completed, it will be found that one predominating cause will stand out in bold relief. This is the checking of production through the agency of the various organizations and combinations that have attained a degree of efficiency throughout the entire country sufficient to control the markets. So long as production is restricted and hampered, high prices will continue. This is one of the elements of the unalterable law of supply and demand.

In the natural order of things the free and untrammelled production of commodities kept prices down to the lowest level. This was particularly true in the farming industry where free land afforded an outlet for unemployed labor. Now, with all the available land taken, and the combinations and agreements of manufacturers and commission men, only enough manufactured goods are put on the market to keep prices up to the highest point, and farm and food products are kept in cold storage and hoarded until a scarcity is created, when they are sold at the highest possible prices. Everything that adds to the cost of production enhances the selling price of that product, and the enhanced cost must also necessarily limit the production, thereby imposing a check. Markets are no longer flooded, and so long as this feature can be controlled and restricted there will be no let up in high prices.

Value of By-Products.

The statement that the United States Steel corporation will make ten million barrels of cement this year, on which there is a profit of seventy-five cents a barrel, out of the slag it produces, which used to be a waste material, shows the value of the utilization of by-products. In years past in the Pittsburg district getting rid of the slag used to tax the energies of the iron and steel manufacturers. Now, in this one item from what used to be waste the Steel corporation will realize the sum of seven and one-half million dollars. The Steel corporation is said to produce enough slag to make sixty million barrels of cement annually.

It may not be generally known that many valuable by-products can be produced from coal, both in connection with mining and after the coal is mined. If these by-products would be utilized on the field an enormous industry could be built up in connection with coal mining. In the coal regions alone enough gas is wasted to furnish all the power required to operate every wheel of industry in the Pittsburg district. When these thing are realized it will be seen that manufacturing and coal mining are crude and wasteful in the extreme, and are but in the first stages of development.

The Third Degree.

If reports are true the Pttsburg police employ some extraordinary methods to compel suspected criminals under arrest to confess. These suspects are subjected to the so-called third degree, which assumes them to be guilty, and they are given no rest night or day until, in desperation, many confess to escape the torture. Even violence is said to be employed, and it is said that prisoners have been beaten and knocked down simply because they would not admit their guilt.

A case of this kind is now under investigation by the police department of Pittsburg. So sure were the police that they had a notorious criminal in the arrest of a suspect, that they are said to have nearly driven him insane in their effort to make him confess. While the sleuths were subjecting their suspect to the horrors of the third degree, another was arrested who confessed off-hand to committing the crimes for which the first suspect was arrested. Now the police deny they "conferred" the third degree in the "amplified" form, and an investigation has been ordered. The incident goes to show that the police departments of big cities have too much arbitrary powers which they can exercise as they see fit without any knowledge of it becoming public.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Thank you, we do not care to take any trip to Philadelphia at the present time.

Who said Joe Cannon was not going to be elected? He thinks he is, and reckon he ought to know.

There is more danger the most quiet running away than there is of the fastest train on the B. and O. performing a cut-up feat of the kind.

A Danville, Ill., councilman got elected through the expenditure of ten cents. He will either be viewed with suspicion or esteemed an honest man.

The man who does not know, and knows he does not know, is the husband of the woman who thinks she knows and is positive that she is right.

Now there cannot be any difficulty in knowing what whisky is. A Kentucky professor has issued a 200-word definition of the fluid, and if he doesn't know, no one does.

With warm weather comes the unmistakable appearances of the bookworm. It maketh it's appearance here because John Rockefeller's money hath not yet accomplished its intent.

The man who possesses a tooth drawn from the mouth of George Washington would feel sort of patriotic, but he doesn't have to try to blow somebody's head off on the Fourth of July.

There are being many brilliant editorials and various other articles written on the cost of living at the present time, but no one seems to care much about tackling the problem of the cost of dying. That's what costs most in Charleroi.

We no more than give Bre'er Groundhog a solar plexis blow, in his ability to predict the weather, than we run into another of those proverbs, "If March comes in like a lamb it goes out like a lion." Consequently there are being all manner of bad things prophesied by fellows who want to be pessimists, for the last of this month.

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Dale Jolliffe has sent his "Charley-horse" to Hot Springs.

Joe Mason has his "black bat" stored away in an air tight compartment.

Charles Newcomer has applied for a patent on a new variety of spikes.

"Tommy" Barger has placed his coaching voice in rigid training.

Lou Mitchell will positively not wear any cap during the coming season.

Ray Kent already reports himself in 78 per cent condition.

Carl Wertz has a new can of "pepper."

Pierce Ferguson is already using Omega Oil on his wing.

Sam Todd will do the majority of the smooth headwork for the Episcopals this season.

"Speedy" McKean is getting so fast that the bases will be banked for him this coming season.

Merlin McCloskey promises to maintain his laurels as premier slugger of the church league.

"Perc" Pollock is practicing control by throwing at a target.

Manager Rickey has ordered his players into strict training.

"Eddie" Abell may change the Methodists' nick-name from "Black Bats" to "Black Minorcas."

J. K. Johnston's batting eye is still in shape.

Will he or will he not play in the church league this season?

The report is that Ex-Manager Reese has placed an order with Spalding for sliding pads and nose guard.

Through the influence of a number of Charleroi's most prominent baseball fans J. Bechtel has been lined up with the church forces. It is believed this old leaguer has resurrected his ancient baseball eye.

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FASHIONABLE ROMPING.

English Lament on the Decay of Deportment.

It is all very well to hold up the hands in horror at the romping in fashionable ballrooms—and no doubt the lack of grace therein displayed is deplorable, says the Lady's Pictorial—but one must give people what they want. They will not come and tread stately measures, but they will romp, and one must, I maintain, therefore, that those hostesses are wise who try to make their guests enjoy themselves.

After all, we do not invite our friends to our houses in order to teach them deportment. It seems practically useless to give a dance at all this season unless a cotillon with absolutely novel figures is included in the program.

Now, the cotillon is not a dance, strictly speaking. You can chase, run, skip, leap through it if you like. It does not make for elegance. Yet there is no question about it, it is indispensable this season, and to this favor we must come if when we pipe in our guests we expect them to dance at all.

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I fell in with a delightful man at a little town in County Fermanagh. I wanted a little thing done to my watch, and I asked him how long it would take to do it. He assured me that he was driven to death with work and was up till late every night [illegible], writes Jerome K. Jerome.

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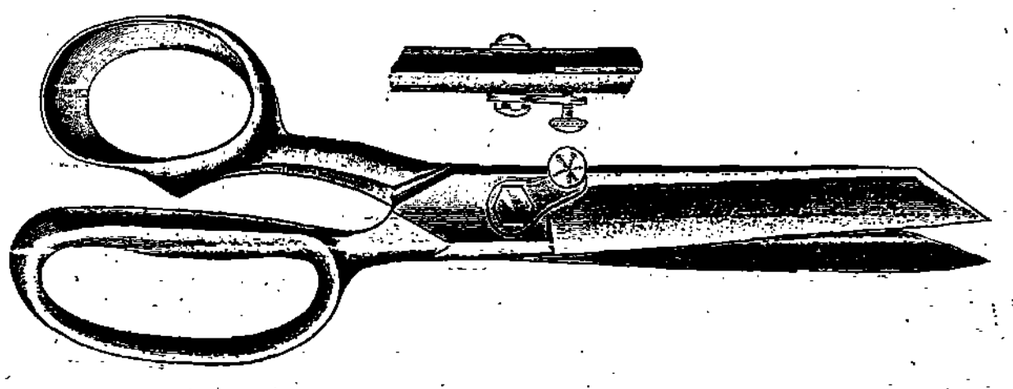

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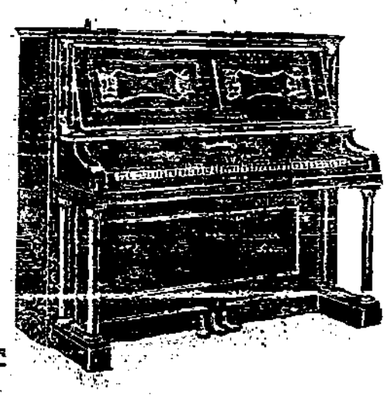

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In 1748 there appeared in the newspapers of London an advertisement stating that on a certain night a remarkable conjurer would perform in the Haymarket theater. He would, the advertisement ran, borrow a common walking cane from any member of the audience and "thereupon play the music of every instrument now in use." It was also promised that he would take an ordinary wine bottle, place it on a table in the middle of the stage, get into it "in the sight of all the spectators" and sing while in it. In the same issue of the newspaper was a second advertisement announcing the arrival of Signor Capitello Jumpedo, "a surprising dwarf no taller than a tobacco pipe," who engaged to perform with and outdo the "bottle conjurer," contorting himself in all manner of shapes and finally "opening his mouth wide and jumping down his own throat." This feat, not without reason, Signor Jumpedo described as the "most wonderfulest wonder of all wonders as ever the world wondered at."

The night set for this dual display of "wonderfulest wonders" found the theater packed from roof to pit. But as the time passed and the curtain remained down catcalls and hisses began to be heard. Then a man in the pit stood up and in a calm voice announced that if double prices were paid the conjurer would get into a pint instead of a quart bottle. At once the audience realized that they were being hoaxed. Somebody threw a lighted candle into a box, and this was the signal for a riot. Benches were torn up and boxes pulled down, while the timid rushed for the doors, with great loss of wigs, hats, swords and canes. Those who remained re-enforced by roughs from outside, completely destroyed the interior of the theater and finished up by dragging the scenery into the street, where it was burned in a huge bonfire. Not was the author of this imposture ever discovered, although it was commonly attributed either to an actor who had been discharged or to a mischievous nobleman bent on winning a wager.—New York Tribune.

Preparing For a Siege.

Wife—The last time I asked you to give me some money you said you couldn't because the cashier was sick. Now you say it's the treasurer. Husband—I know it. He caught it from the cashier, and now I'm afraid the secretary will get it.—Life.

Certain About It.

Once upon a time, not so long ago, a couple of cowpunchers found themselves guests in the home of a minister of the gospel whose custom was to hold family worship of a morning and to conclude the same by asking each one present to give some quotation from the Scriptures. One after another repeated some text until at last it came the turn of Jim Bulstoke of the Crowfoot ranch.

"My dear young friend," said the dominie as he saw the latter hesitating, "surely can recall some verse from the Bible?"

Jim's face was bathed with profuse perspiration, but at last there came to him some approximation of a memory of something he had read or heard at some stage of his life about the first chapter of Genesis. At last he broke out, "God made the world."

The dominie lifted a hand to hide a sudden smile, but bowed to Jim's neighbor in the circle. Curley was even worse off than Jim had been and for the life of him could not think of anything. At last, remembering the occasional virtue of a good bluff, he twisted one foot around his chair leg and, with all the confidence he could muster, remarked, "He shore did!"—Recreation.

Last English King In a Battle.

The battle of Dettingen, in Bavaria, on the 16th (27th O. S.) of June, 1743, between the British, Hanoverian and Hessian troops (52,000 men), under command of George II., and the French troops (60,000 men), under Marshal Noailles, which resulted in the victory of the allied troops, was the last occasion on which an English king fought on the battlefield. His majesty continued the whole time in the heat of all the action, which was said by those who witnessed it to have been as fierce a conflict as had ever been known.

On the morning of the battle the king appeared in the same red coat he had worn at Oudenarde, thirty-five years before, taking his place at the head of the seven battalions of guards. About noon he ordered a general advance, and during the movements it entailed he was very nearly taken by the enemy, but was rescued by the Twenty-second regiment, who, in remembrance, wore a sprig of oak in their caps upon the anniversary of the battle for many years afterward.—London Tit-Bits.

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We desire to express to our many friends and neighbors our deep gratitude for the many expressions and tokens of their sympathy with us in our recent bereavement in the loss of our wife and mother. Especially do we wish to thank those who gave the beautiful floral tributes and those who sang. There were many expressions of Christian love and friendship for which we desire to express our heart-felt thanks.

169t1p William Dagnall and Family.

Health Board Quits.

Because they were not given the support of either the people or physicians of the town, the members of the Belle Vernon health board have resigned. The borough has now no local board of health.

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Standing of Contestants as Counted Yesterday.

DISTRICT NO. ONE.

District number one includes all the borough of Charleroi lying South of Fifth street.

Name	Address	Votes
Wm Moss	424 Washington Ave	1040
Hamilton Booth	320 Fallowfield "	1566
Miss Goldie Evans	McKean "	42,645
" Florence Conaway	315 " "	2354
" Agnes Rosbottom	208 Crest "	7422
Miss Carrie Carver	219 Fallowfield Ave.	1747
Chas Schmeler	333 " "	2374
W I Higgins	109 "	1000

DISTRICT NO. TWO.

District number two includes all the borough of Charleroi lying between Fifth St. and Eighth St.

Harry E Vetter	716 Washington	87,007
Capt Dale Jolliffe	608 Fallowfield	77,346
C J. Matthews	600 " "	1000
Miss Elizabeth Pardiny	604 "	2812
Miss Margaret Brightwell	" "	1020
Miss Alice Rock	728 Washington	4255

DISTRICT NO. THREE

District number three, includes all the Borough of Charleroi lying between Eighth St and the borough line

Miss Alma Snyder	218 Ninth St.	3693
Albert Brown, Jr	934 " "	1165
Elsie Fiedler	833 Crest Ave	6499

DISTRICT NO FOUR

District number four, includes North Charleroi, Monessen and Belle Vernon.

Miss Mercedes McGinity	Monessen	1115
Ruth Markell	"	1210
Pearl Speers	"	1672
Grace Reeder	"	2010
Mary Jackson	North Charleroi	1155
Mrs Menser	Monessen	1190
Alfred Higginbotham	North Charleroi	1243
Robert McGowan	" "	1000
John Metz	" "	1000
R G. Staley	" "	1090
John Stober	" "	1030
E A Jordan	Belle Vernon	1345

DISTRICT NO FIVE

District number five includes, Speers, Dunlevy, Vesta, Allenport. Fayette City, Stockdale, Roscoe. Elco, Coal Center and California.

Elsie Pyle	Coal Center	11 502
Elsie Richards	" "	1035
J Klein	Roscoe	1340
Charles Fox	R.D 4, Coal Center	1075
Ray Williams	Coal Center	1000
Dr Frantz	" "	1210
Miss Clara Snead	Speers	1000
Pearl Smith	"	1000
Leola Frye	R F. D. 1, Speers	1000
S. V Hughes	" "	1000
William E Hart	California	1220
Ben Usher	Fayette City	1000
Ray Hetherington	" "	1000
McKee Middleton	" "	1000
Miss Jennie Hicks	" "	1135
M McCleary	Allenport	1000
" Laura Ghrist	"	1190
" Annie Miller	"	1000
" Hattie Long	"	1000
George Collins	Elco	56.470
M Dooley	Dunlevy	1460
C. K Chaliant	Speers	1200
William Kuhn	"	1100
Boyd Montgomery	"	1170
Miss Easter	California	1630
James Hall	Dunlevy	27 522

DISTRICT NO SIX

Includes Donora, Monongahela and Bentleyville

Miss Erma Volker	Monongahela	1125
Maud Stratham	"	1105
Bessie Webb	"	1105
Agnes Klonan	"	1980
Ella Baker	Bentleyville	1246

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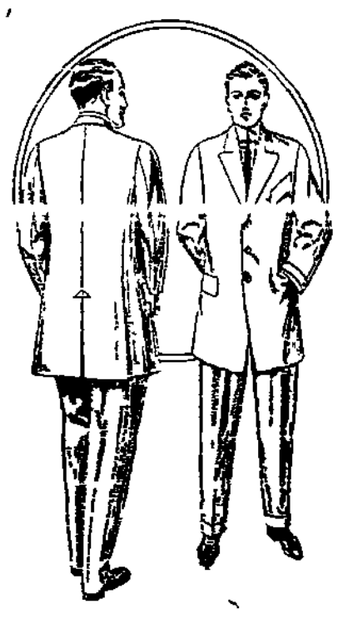

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LOCAL NOTES

Brief Mention of People and Events in this Community.

Misses Helen and Edith Woodhall were over Sunday guests of Mrs Lee Minton, of the Seventh Avenue Hotel, Beaver Falls.

Miss Rose Kuth, Lela Davidson and Nell Davidson of Uniontown were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McCann of McKean avenue.

Misses Bessie Stroud and Tena Estenfelder have resigned their positions at the store of J. W Berryman and Son. Miss Stroud will take a place at the office of Dr. J. Clive Enos, and Miss Estenfelder will begin learning the millinery trade.

James Oates left today for Cincinnati, Ohio, where he will attend the miners' convention in session this week.

Miss Ethel Smith of Waynesburg, a student of California Normal, was here over Sunday, a guest of Mrs. B. D. Blaker of Second street.

Wilson Primas, who attends the University of Pittsburg, while visiting his parents over Sunday killed a snake which had mistaken the season of the year.

The river after a period of high water, during which time it reached a stage of 15 feet one inch, on the lower sills at Lock No. 4, is now receding and shortly before noon today was down at 10 feet. This makes a good boating stage.

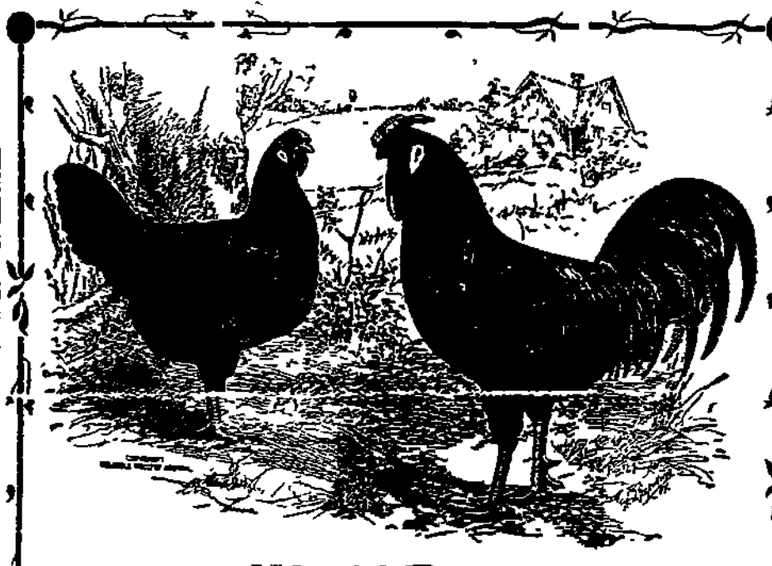
WANTED—Couple of lady agents, can stay in town, good money. Answer 307 Mail. 169t2

Strictly Fresh Country Eggs only 26c. per dozen. Creamery Butter only 30c. per pound. Johnston's Cash Meat Market. 169t2

Lemon Omelet.

Put the yolks of four eggs into a bowl with a tablespoonful of sugar. Beat until light and add the grated rind of a lemon Whip the whites of the eggs to a stiff froth and mix lightly with the yolks. Then stir in a fourth of a teaspoonful of baking powder. Pour in the omelet pan, in which a tablespoonful of butter has been melted, and bake in a moderate oven for ten minutes. When done cut the omelet in half, put on a hot platter, with the following lemon jelly between the layers, and serve as quickly as possible:

Lemon Jelly.—Take one-half cupful of sugar, a tablespoonful of butter, the juice and rind of one lemon and two well beaten eggs. Beat together and stir over the fire until thick.—Delineator.



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"Get some new stuff"
"Will you marry me?"

"Well, now there's some class to that"—Indianapolis News

Just a Hint.

Mr Staylate—Is that clock right? Miss De Pink (wearily)—I think it must need cleaning. It's been two or three hours going that last hour.—New York Journal.

Reach's Guide.

The Mail is in receipt of a copy of Reach's Baseball Guide for the year 1910 The guide is rich in special features, and contains a lot of valuable baseball information, beside the rules. Among the features are special write-ups on the World's series of games last fall, and statistics of record-breaking games of the year 1909. The rules this year have some important changes to aid in the playing and scoring of the game. One change is the counting of an error for the pitcher when he makes a wild pitch.